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Table 1: Economy

		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	3 856	2 709	2 702	2 825	2 624
Unemployment rate	%	7.8	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.2
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	10 309	12 496	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	77.4	107.8	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	7 506	8 629	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	45 131	43 689	-
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	1 808.3	1 925.3	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	$	-	-	40 069	44 068	-
Net tax	$m	-	-	396.5	406.5	-
Average net tax	$	-	-	8 786	9 305	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	22	21	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	55 440	56 185	-
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$m	-	-	1 885.7	2 033.1	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	$	-	-	34 014	36 186	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Centrelink	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Age Pension - DVA	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Carers Payment	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Disability Support Pension	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Newstart Allowance	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Parenting Payment - Single	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Youth Allowances	no.	na	na	na	na	na
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	na	na	na	na	na
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	42 099	43 284	44 187	45 174	-
Wage and salary income	$m	1 318.5	1 408.8	1 493.3	1 583.1	-
Average Wage and salary income	$	31 320	32 547	33 796	35 044	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	7 792	7 620	7 752	7 838	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	113.5	114.6	112.0	117.0	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	$	14 569	15 034	14 446	14 930	-
Investment earners	no.	25 075	26 684	26 809	27 734	-
Investment income	$m	146.1	174.1	183.5	222.3	-
Average Investment Income	$	5 826	6 524	6 845	8 014	-
Superannuation and annuity earners	no.	2 807	2 980	3 092	3 224	-
Superannuation and annuity income	$m	50.6	58.5	63.5	71.7	-
Average Superannuation and annuity income	$	18 044	18 947	20 530	22 228	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	3 849	4 116	4 289	4 521	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	10.9	12.3	12.1	14.8	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$	2 834	2 982	2 813	3 271	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	$m	1 639.8	1 766.2	1 864.4	2 008.8	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	4 189	4 352	4 421	4 462	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	4 909	4 837	4 748	4 783	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	5 099	5 117	5 130	5 026	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	4 674	4 752	4 841	4 995	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	2 743	2 893	3 132	3 201	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	574	643	680	734	-
Males - Total	no.	22 188	22 594	22 952	23 201	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	3 959	4 185	4 298	4 300	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	4 255	4 313	4 288	4 371	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	4 837	4 868	4 969	5 116	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	4 559	4 744	4 917	5 185	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	2 067	2 294	2 469	2 673	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	235	293	295	331	-
Females - Total	no.	19 911	20 697	21 236	21 976	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	8 147	8 537	8 719	8 762	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	9 164	9 150	9 036	9 154	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	9 936	9 985	10 099	10 142	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	9 233	9 496	9 758	10 180	-
Persons 55 years to 64 years	no.	4 810	5 187	5 601	5 874	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	809	936	975	1 065	-
Persons - Total	no.	42 099	43 291	44 188	45 177	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	2 996	3 053	3 148	3 127	-
Professionals	no.	6 962	7 067	7 114	7 403	-
Associate Professionals	no.	2 521	2 595	2 700	2 989	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	4 261	4 400	4 386	4 509	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	723	719	701	690	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	7 524	7 893	7 989	8 220	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	2 846	2 893	2 909	2 914	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	4 513	4 744	4 807	4 964	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	5 395	5 631	5 582	5 578	-
Not Stated	no.	4 359	4 293	4 861	4 777	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	42 100	43 288	44 197	45 171	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June						
Net worth per household	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	$m	na	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	$'000	na	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	4 269	4 065	4 089	4 164	-
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	1 404	1 581	1 674	1 794	-
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	1 365	1 443	1 431	1 464	-
Total businesses	no.	7 038	7 089	7 194	7 422	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	783	648	663	756	-
Employing business entries	no.	333	342	345	339	-
Total business entries	no.	1 116	990	1 008	1 095	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	795	942	585	612	-
Employing business exits	no.	57	75	222	195	-
Total business exits	no.	852	1 017	807	807	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	636	639	672	684	-
Mining	no.	15	18	15	12	-
Manufacturing	no.	408	408	426	402	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	9	18	15	15	-
Construction	no.	963	993	1 050	1 101	-
Wholesale trade	no.	306	312	291	270	-
Retail trade	no.	1 155	1 116	1 116	1 104	-
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	300	324	318	348	-
Transport and storage	no.	459	444	423	426	-
Communication services	no.	78	66	63	72	-
Finance and insurance	no.	381	387	405	432	-
Property and business services	no.	1 563	1 605	1 638	1 719	-
Education	no.	42	48	51	57	-
Health and community services	no.	402	381	387	411	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	150	147	135	153	-
Personal and other services	no.	171	183	195	216	-
Total businesses	no.	7 038	7 089	7 194	7 422	-

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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	3 224	3 162
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 634	3 582
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 722	3 767
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3 664	3 701
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 467	3 619
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	3 071	3 039
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	3 353	3 241
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	3 330	3 443
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3 650	3 581
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3 532	3 674
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3 252	3 261
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 058	3 172
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2 368	2 434
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 954	2 005
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 606	1 622
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 412	1 408
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	866	897
Males - 85 years and over	no.	520	546
Males - Total	no.	49 683	50 154
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	3 134	3 129
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 376	3 324
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 529	3 615
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3 560	3 544
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 468	3 564
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	3 095	3 085
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	3 513	3 499
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	3 525	3 469
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3 815	3 777
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3 624	3 718
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3 420	3 466
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 131	3 210
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2 437	2 567
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2 123	2 234
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 904	1 846
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 724	1 721
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 443	1 472
Females - 85 years and over	no.	1 247	1 306
Females - Total	no.	52 068	52 546
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	6 358	6 291
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	7 010	6 906
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	7 251	7 382

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	7 224	7 245
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	6 935	7 183
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	6 166	6 124
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	6 866	6 740
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	6 855	6 912
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	7 465	7 358
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	7 156	7 392
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	6 672	6 727
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	6 189	6 382
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	4 805	5 001
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	4 077	4 239
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	3 510	3 468
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	3 136	3 129
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	2 309	2 369
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	1 767	1 852
Persons - Total	no.	101 751	102 700
POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June			
Population density	persons/km2	-	-
ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006			
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006			
Percentage of total population	%	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer			
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006			
Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006			
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006			
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006			
Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006			
Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006			
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006			
Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December			
Births	no.	1 228	1 225

Total fertility rate	rate	1.8	1.8
Deaths	no.	856	930
Standardised death rate	rate	7.3	7.4

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2006	2007	2008
3 250	3 280	3 367
3 488	3 469	3 421
3 804	3 833	3 812
3 760	3 804	3 917
3 615	3 650	3 638
3 002	3 025	3 089
3 181	3 069	2 980
3 503	3 515	3 461
3 525	3 397	3 386
3 683	3 737	3 695
3 343	3 405	3 447
3 262	3 217	3 208
2 537	2 769	2 921
2 019	2 062	2 096
1 643	1 688	1 710
1 369	1 365	1 358
938	957	999
593	637	674
50 515	50 879	51 179
3 181	3 209	3 237
3 250	3 222	3 235
3 583	3 585	3 538
3 613	3 670	3 726
3 626	3 622	3 601
3 089	3 136	3 159
3 334	3 196	3 082
3 533	3 583	3 585
3 721	3 654	3 643
3 777	3 857	3 880
3 502	3 561	3 600
3 288	3 257	3 314
2 688	2 859	2 967
2 246	2 280	2 314
1 870	1 940	1 981
1 723	1 735	1 739
1 491	1 449	1 412
1 334	1 380	1 457
52 849	53 195	53 470
6 431	6 489	6 604
6 738	6 691	6 656
7 387	7 418	7 350

7 373	7 474	7 643
7 241	7 272	7 239
6 091	6 161	6 248
6 515	6 265	6 062
7 036	7 098	7 046
7 246	7 051	7 029
7 460	7 594	7 575
6 845	6 966	7 047
6 550	6 474	6 522
5 225	5 628	5 888
4 265	4 342	4 410
3 513	3 628	3 691
3 092	3 100	3 097
2 429	2 406	2 411
1 927	2 017	2 131
103 364	104 074	104 649
-	-	130.4
2.7	-	-
1.0	-	-
6.5	-	-
0.8	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.7	-	-
0.5	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.6	-	-
11.3	-	-
3.6	-	-
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1.4	-	-
0.9	-	-
9.1	-	-
5.8	-	-
18.3	-	-
12.1	-	-
47.7	-	-
10.9	-	-
17.6	-	-
14.8	-	-
10.2	-	-
14.4	-	-
11.2	-	-

7.6	-	-
12.0	-	-
1.3	-	-
10 528	-	-
1 418	-	-
26 320	-	-
38 266	-	-
9 111	-	-
1 860	-	-
10 563	-	-
3 421	-	-
1 241	-	-
408	-	-
26 604	-	-
78 716	-	-
14 379	-	-
50 880	-	-
35 391	-	-
0.0	-	-
88.3	-	-
11.7	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
88.9	-	-
3.7	-	-
7.5	-	-
20.9	-	-
21.3	-	-
8.4	-	-
1.2	-	-
11.5	-	-
33.0	-	-
21.8	-	-
0.7	-	-
55.5	-	-
1 380	1 338	1 413

1.9	2.0	2.1
795	894	926
7.0	7.0	6.8

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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	437	462
Total dwelling units	no.	529	567
Value of private sector houses	$m	69.9	82.9
Value of new residential building	$m	78.7	95.0
Value of total residential building	$m	96.1	115.1
Value of total non-residential building	$m	46.0	61.7
Value of total building	$m	142.1	176.7
Average value of private sector houses	$'000	160.1	179.4
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	54 714	56 024
Campervans	no.	674	704
Light commercial vehicles	no.	12 767	13 276
Light rigid trucks	no.	440	456
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	1 371	1 390
Articulated trucks	no.	372	354
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	65	68
Buses	no.	353	372
Motorcycles	no.	1 996	2 089
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	72 754	74 733
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	538	546
Campervans	no.	7	7
Light commercial vehicles	no.	125	129
Light rigid trucks	no.	4	4
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	13	14
Articulated trucks	no.	4	3
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	3	4
Motorcycles	no.	20	20
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	715	728
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	14 530	15 468
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	16 628	17 580
10 years or older	no.	41 597	41 683
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	64 977	66 382

Diesel	no.	7 031	7 628
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	749	723
GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June			
Gross value of crops	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	$m	-	-
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June			
Total area			
Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-
Total number			
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
353	375	413
479	492	527
66.6	80.6	92.2
81.6	95.3	107.3
102.6	118.2	133.6
70.8	74.9	146.4
173.4	193.1	280.0
188.7	215.0	223.3
57 637	58 194	59 309
702	723	738
13 844	14 028	14 511
491	509	514
1 473	1 531	1 530
332	319	271
530	75	73
399	413	439
2 393	2 641	2 970
77 798	78 433	80 355
558	559	567
7	7	7
134	135	139
5	5	5
14	15	15
3	3	3
5	1	1
4	4	4
23	25	28
753	754	768
16 874	17 308	17 953
18 429	18 602	18 968
42 494	42 520	43 428
68 346	68 648	69 891

8 718	9 057	9 738
732	728	727
14.5	-	-
6.2	-	-
2.6	-	-
23.3	-	-
39 049.3	-	-
349.9	-	-
74.2	-	-
375.9	-	-
401.5	-	-
176.0	-	-
61 494	-	-
1 383	-	-
10 947	-	-
2	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	802.7
39	-	-
2	-	-
3 329	-	-
339	-	-
3 667	-	-
5.1	-	-